

IN SPRING.

LAND OFFICE at MONTGOMERY, ALA.
Feb. 7th, 1887.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Judge of the Probate Court at Jacksonville, Florida, on 1st ES, viz: Barnett A. H. Hester, Town and 12nd for the SE 1/4, Section 21 T. 1 S. R. 1 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his claimants residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: John Taylor Saml. B. White Henry H. Koozer Jos. Gunn all of Jacksonville, Ala. J. G. HAINES Register.
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fingers loosened their hold upon the ice-bound ledges. Once, hands and feet played her false together. She felt herself falling down, down, through the darkness, with dizzy speed, while the white rocks flashed past her eyes, the blue of the sea beat into her face. Half

grate. She bent down eagerly, holding the picture to the light of the flames. It was a photograph of a girl—a fair, sweet, gentle looking girl; and on the margin was written in Darey Breene's clear characters, "Sweetheart." A faint sensation

catarrh and lung troubles. If you can avoid it never leave your house until the sun has warmed the atmosphere. Never mind about seeing the sun rise; it will rise without your assistance—take care of your health and let the sun take care of itself."—Philadelphia Call.

No less than 135 tons of amber have been dug up in Prussia the past year. The Bohemian mines produced nearly

The man who knows the most new

Nature is never in a hurry save when in a destructive mood.—Maurice Thomp-

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AT THE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

Programme for Arbor Day, February 22, 9:30 A. M.—College Hall.
Prayer, Rev. Mr. Bourne.
Song, (Beauty Everywhere) School.
Recitation, Miss Clara Terhune.
Oration, Washington, Jos. Arnold.
National Song, School.
Recitation, (Song to the Trees), Miss Hannah Crook.
Oration, Forestry, J. O. P. Treadaway.
Chorus, (Forest Nymphs) Select Pupils.
Tree to Jas. G. Ryals, Jr., Prof. C. Gibson.
Tree to J. Harris Chappel, Mr. Bourne.
Tree to Miss Sara B. Fouché, Miss Dowdell.
Tree to Girls Chapter, Mamie Frank.
Tree to Temperance Henry Wyly.
"Musie, Miss Duplissis.
"Normalism, Miss Payne.
"Class '86 and '87, Miss Lizzie Swan.
Tree to Junior Class (dedicated to Pearly Smyly) Ida Arnold.
Tree to No. 1 Class Theresa Nisbet and Green.
Tree to No. 2 Class (dedicated to Cary Forney) Ida Woodward.
Tree to No. 3 Class (Song, Dream, "Primaries" hand Tree.
Trees were planted and dedicated to Miss Lydia Borden by Woodson and Frank Martin; to Mrs. J. Harris Chappel by Mrs. Ida Woodward; to Miss Mary Montgomery and to former teachers of music in the school, Mrs. Garlington and Miss Jessie Woods.
Pupils of the school who died during their connection with it were tenderly remembered. Miss Hannah Crook and Nannie Williams planted and dedicated an oak to the memory of Miss Hattie Duncan; Miss Bessie Woodward, a tree to Miss Suddie Clements. A number of Friendship Trees were planted by pupils of the school, making in all a beautiful symmetrical grove.

The Gale in Michigan

DETROIT, Mich., February 27.—Specials to the morning Tribune from various points on the upper peninsula, report the storm of the past twenty-four hours to be of mammoth proportion and terrific intensity. A heavy gale blew the heavy snow about, making drifts from five to ten feet deep, and effectually stopping all traffic. Two Grand Rapids and Indiana trains are snowed in south of Mackinaw city, and a Michigan Central train is blocked in the same neighborhood. The gale extended all over the whole state, but was not accompanied by snow in the neighborhood of Detroit. About a mile west of Negaunee, four engines and a coach that were breaking the way through the snow, ran into a heavy drift and were thrown into the ditch.

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Sept 13-6m

A Captive's Observations.

The Indian in presence of the white man or in presence of strangers is not the same as the Indian at home among his fellows. All taciturnity and stoicism disappear and they act more like overgrown children than anything else, laughing, playing practical jokes, teasing and romping, fond of fun, of strength and agility, particularly in horsemanship. Here I was with members of a tribe known among white men as the best warriors, cruel and barbarous on the plains, and yet I must say that whatever laws at customs governed them were as far as I could understand, strictly adhered to. No one meddles with another's wives, horses or arms. No one laid claim to a woman or a horse that he did not pay, spot trade, the price demanded. I was going to say spot cash, but this they had little use for. Provisions were always in common. I do not know how it would be in time of scarcity, for while I was with them provisions were very plenty. The young bucks were always riding hither and thither over the hills and prairies for miles around, and kept a supply of meat in great abundance. The squaws did all camp and field work. Their corn fields were all between jutting points of the hills, and by a stranger would be found with great difficulty; so that if they had any cause to break camp hurriedly their fields would be safe.

Perfection of the Phonograph.

By the way, shortly before Edison left he reversed to his old toy, the phonograph, and said that he had not the slightest doubt that the perfected phonograph of say 500 years from now, will do away with every sort of writing and printing. People who want to write a letter will say what they want to say into their phonograph, take out the little slip of paper or paper, and send it off into the person who receives it will put it into his phonograph and hear to what his friend has to say. The printer's occupation will be gone, because newspapers will consist of sheets of tin foil, to be put into each person's phonograph, when the news will be read out to the phonograph in a clear, interesting and effective manner, some device being adopted by which the reader will be enabled to have read exactly what interests him or her, and skip all the rest. Probably the advertiser who takes a whole column for five words will pay extra to have the phonograph shout out that his soap is the best and was used by Cleopatra, Mrs. Langtry, and other beauties of past ages.—New York Cor. Brooklyn Eagle.

To Buy or Not to Buy.

The greatest thing I remember in the stock market," said a broker recently, "was when the Confederates were moving into Pennsylvania. The day before the Gettysburg fight began we all felt that Philadelphia was doomed, and our neighbors were tearing up their goods, even shipping their goods to New York. The day previous I had been ordered by a customer to buy 1,000 shares of Reading railroad stock. When I tried to get my customer, but he had suddenly left town and could not be reached. If I bought perhaps he would blame me if there was a loss, while on the other hand if the Confederates were beaten back the shares would surely rise in value, and then I would be censured for not acting according to orders. I went up to the board room and found that they were offering trains of the stocks for almost nothing. I risked the chances and bought all that was offered. I loaded up with it. How much did I make? Well, about \$500,000."—Philadelphia Call.

Soldiers at Columbia, S. C.

"Come, boys," cried a blue clad hero, "bring your spears. I've found a pile of treasure," and with his bayonet he stuck it deep into a new made mound in the garden adjoining a residence. "Here the rebels have buried gold and silver here. Be quiet or a crowd will come to divide our spoils," and in a few minutes four men were at work digging up the box in which the supposed treasure were hid. It was hard work to go four feet down and lift up a heavy box from the damp earth. Eagerly they worked, and in due time their reward came. Greedily they broke the top from the box, and quickly, with oaths in their mouths, they drew back as the half decayed carcass of a dead dog met their gaze. It was the body of a pet Newfoundland dog, and the body of a dog had been buried under the shade of a laurel, little dreaming that their Carlo would suffer such ignominious a resurrection.—Atlanta Constitution.

Fungi as Plant Allies.

While some forms of fungus are most destructive to vegetation, it is now believed that there are others which render assistance to the plants on which they live. Frank found that the fungus covering the young root points of certain forest trees, as the beech and oak, seems to help in the nutrition of these trees. Another interesting case has lately been studied in Germany by Waidlich, who finds that a yellow, bladder-like fungus of the root tissue of orchids works no perceptible harm to the plants, but on the contrary probably aids them by changing woody matters into a form that they may more readily absorb.—Arkansas Traveler.

American Dyed Sealskins.

It may be interesting to know that American art now excels foreign skill in the communication of the quality so essential to a handsome seal-skin, namely, the dye. What was known as the London dye held the vantage ground for years, until a furrier in Albany elaborated a superior process. Of course he made an immense fortune. He kept the secret to himself as closely as he maintained a monopoly of the market. He died in the ordinary course, but the secret was imparted to his son a few years before his death, and is still exclusively employed by him.—Boston Transcript.

Balloons in China.

Balloons are to be introduced into China. The Pekin government has ordered two captive balloons from Paris, and have provided all the necessary funds for several practiced aeronauts to take over the latest inventions in this branch of science, including a special machine to manufacture hydrogen gas.—Boston Transcript.

What Can Be Done.

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JACKSONVILLE, CALHOUN COUNTY, ALA., SATURDAY, MAR. 12, 1887.

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PERSONAL.

Ingalls is engaged upon a novel. Ward Beecher will publish an autobiography. Newman celebrated his 86th birthday on Feb. 21. Russell Lowell parts his hair in the London on Feb. 21. Cleveland will celebrate his birthday on Friday, March 18. Frank Siskalski, of Philadelphia, has an offer of \$125,000 for Maud S.

Miss Manning rejoiced in the birth of her grandson during his visit to Albany. Mr. Abner, the theatrical manager, formerly a jeweler in a small Ohio town, is now in the city of New York.

Regular Tupper is nearing his end, and is poor, powerless and unable to serve as such throughout the winter.

Foraker, of Ohio, was a private soldier and served as such throughout the war.

Secretary Dan Lamont is supposed to have services appreciated to the extent of \$100 a year.

Parley Pore is that every president should have an extra session of congress called a renomination.

As the custom of Haydn, the composer, to dine for five persons and to devour the banquet himself.

It is announced that Mr. Blaine will make several speeches in public after his new book is issued from the press.

Senator Fay, of Nevada, during his six year term has not said enough to fill a page in the Congressional Record.

Person that Secretary Bayard is to be elected a woman clerk in the state department is to be prosecuted.

Stephen D. Field, a bright and ingenious lawyer of Justice Field, has an electric motor car to guarantee to cost only \$20,000 a year.

Governor Davis, the new senator from Missouri, is now 62 years old. He is a tall, slender, raw boned man, with black hair, and a very good figure.

A private dispatch received at New Haven that ex-Governor English and party had just fled from the earthquake. They were going to Paris.

The Payson club of Boston has elected Mr. S. L. Sullivan an honorary member. This is the first time that the club could think of electing a foreigner.

Chief of the weather bureau, Mr. Schuch, left a considerable portion of his fortune to be divided among the families of his friends. The executors of the will are the power to distribute the money as they please.

Mrs. Logan has informed the committee serving the construction of a monument to the memory of her husband, Gen. A. A. Logan, that she would prefer to have a park, Chicago, selected as his last resting place.

Senator Fry, of Maine, and Mrs. Fry, who remain in England only a day or two, are returning to Italy, where they will spend the spring months. They are not to return to the United States until late in the year.

Some cooking used to chew, although he had a habit of taking a good cigar, cut it in two in the middle, and then placing the end of one of the halves between his teeth, he would chew it. Conkling has a very good tooth, and is very fond of good candy.

It is one of the most rigid rules in all the economy of the capital that the wife of the president shall not accept attention from any man outside of the cabinet, but Mrs. Grant goes out to ride with Mr. W. W. Graham, the venerable philanthropist, and Mr. George Bancroft, the venerable historian.

The Petersburg (Va.) Index-Appel states that only a few weeks will elapse before Governor William E. Cameron will tell the people of Virginia what he thinks about their claims and would be leaders. He is not sure that this publication will receive the endorsement of the people, but asks them to withhold judgment until he has heard from them.

It is said that at least there shall be no more criticism against him for want of action in dealing with either matters or persons.

The world's progress.

The cost of killing is becoming expensive. In 1856 the cost of the best cannon was \$500, and the cost of a single discharge was \$1. Now the expensive siege guns cost \$5,000, and one discharge costs \$25.

The Boston and Maine, the Eastern, the Boston and Lowell and the Fitchburg railroads have decided to erect a mammoth structure in Boston. The cost of the proposed structure will be in the vicinity of \$10,000. Sixteen tracks will be run into the building, making room for 200 passenger cars and the roof.

Two well known cattlemen of Henrietta, Tex., have contracted with a firm in Montreal, Canada, to furnish them by June 1, 1887, a lot of cattle from yearlings to yearling cows for \$100,000. The cattle are to be used for breeding purposes. The calves are to be sent to Canadian buyers, and the cows are to be sent to the United States.

John Ruskin writes to the recently organized Boston club, of Boston: "Our chief duty is to sit on this side of the Atlantic is to read all our newspapers and to be a part of the Atlantic which I can bring to the compass of a letter is that every body should mind his own business and leave the government of wealth and life to God."

A German botanist has discovered a source of food and alcohol in the poppy. It appears that the pulp which covers the poppy seed contains a narcotic matter, which, after fermentation and distillation, produces a kind of brandy of an excellent flavor. The pulp has been hitherto thrown away, but it is said, affords poppy planters the opportunity of realizing more profit from their crops without a very great expenditure of capital.

Gen. O. O. Howard is to furnish a series of Indian war papers to The Overland Monthly.

A second series of essays, with the title "Older Days," is about to be issued by the author of the popular little volume bearing that name.

After an interval of twenty-four years since the appearance of the first volume of his "Invasion of the Crimea," Mr. Kinglake has sent the conclusion of his work to the publishers.

ABOUT WOMEN.

Mrs. Hicks Lord will pass part of the summer in England. Mrs. Kate Chaso is making arrangements to publish the biography of her father, the late chief justice.

Ellen Terry has been photographed in more than 250 different poses and Mrs. Langtry in more than 250.

A woman has just been guillotined in France. She was the first woman executed in that country since 1872.

Miss Mahone, daughter of the Virginia senator, is a musical enthusiast, and is going abroad to continue her studies.

Miss Porteus, the actress, says that Washington is the most beautiful and Pittsburg the most horrid city in America.

Women will share equally with men the benefits in every department of the university provided by Mr. Stanford in California.

Lady Habberton, the women's dress reformer, does not believe that a woman's waist is round. She says that its true shape is an ellipse.

Miss Ann Howard has given to the city of New Orleans funds for the erection of a fine library building and for the purchase of 100,000 books.

Miss Hewitt, daughter of Hon. A. S. Hewitt, introduced the fashion of young ladies being accompanied in their promenades by large mastiffs and St. Bernard dogs.

O Sato San is the first woman in the kingdom of Japan to enter into the field of journalism. She has been taken on the editorial staff of one of the best newspapers in Tokyo.

Miss Ellen Herndon Arthur, daughter of the late ex-President Arthur, has gone to Savannah to visit relatives. Since the death of her father, Miss Arthur has been residing in Albany.

The marriage of Lulu Hurst, the magnetic girl of Georgia, to her manager calls attention to the fact that almost any girl with a fortune of \$300,000 in her own right is more or less of a magnet.

Mrs. Lucrética R. Garfield, with her daughter Mollie, has returned to the old home at Mentor, after spending nearly three months in New York. Her sons Harry and Jim are law students with the firm of Brown, Stebbins & Co., in Wall street.

Mrs. Cleveland is spending her leisure time in studying French. She finds that her present position demands a knowledge of the French language. Her instructor says that her pupil is making rapid progress, and will be able to converse fluently in French when the next social season opens.

The young Princesses of Wales take a great interest in the poultry yard when at Sandringham, and are armed with baskets of scraps, pay a maternal visit to their pet bantams and pouter-pigeons. They have taken to dressing-making, and show considerable aptitude at the cutting out and fitting branch.

Miss Patten, who recently became Mrs. Congressman Glover, and her sister have a party for dogs and cats, and were accompanied in their walk about Washington by a huge St. Bernard and greyhound of remarkable size, a hideous pink and white bulldog, and a variety assortment of terriers, black and tans and Skyes.

Manager Foster, of the Boston Ideal Opera company, is a large, pale, striking looking man, about 40 years of age. He was for many years a newspaper man, connected with various journals in the interior of New York state. His management of the Ideal has been very successful prior to the present untoward quarrel, which is the ideal thing in opera companies.

A Sheboygan, Mich., widow, after mourning ten days for her dear departed, sought consolation in a second marriage. She didn't find it, though, for it is said that ever since the wedding the ghost of the dead husband has been making things lively for the honeymooners, who have already moved several times, but are unable to escape the spiteful little rascal, who, it is said, shakes the doors and makes himself generally very disagreeable.

SPORTING NOTES.

Exile looks the picture of health and gives every indication of being in first class condition.

All effort is being made in Chicago to bring about a match of a fight to a finish between "The Marine," who is out there, and Billy Bradburn. Bradburn is a powerful man and ambitious to win laurels in the ring.

Since Lee has doubled up with Ross, and they expect to do some great things next season, why don't they say something about the defeat of Lee and Ham? That would make a very interesting double scull race.

Patsy Cardiff says if Frank Glover of Chicago will deposit \$1,000 with any reputable person he will cover it and agree to fight him to a finish for \$2,500 or \$5,000, the fight to take place as soon as possible after his meeting with Sullivan.

Mike Lacie of Philadelphia and Pat Shaughnessy of Troy were to have fought eight rounds one night last week at Troy. Lacie surprised the Trojans by landing a right on Shaughnessy's neck in the first round, knocking him out.

Jimmy Carnes, the champion English light weight pugilist, is rapidly getting himself into good condition under the care of Patsey Sheppard, who says that he will soon be in condition to spar at exhibitions, when he will do light sparring with Mr. Sheppard.

El. Hanlan and Jake Gaudaur have been matched to row three miles with a turn for \$2,500 a side. The race will be rowed on May 20 (Decoration Day). A deposit of \$500 for each man was posted with Hamilton Dusby, editor of The Turf, Field and Farm.

WINTER RESORTS.

St. Augustine hotel life, writes a correspondent, is very informal and social. In the number of hotels Atlantic City claims to be ahead of any other resort.

Three daily papers at St. Augustine compete in immortalizing all the hotel visitors.

Capt. J. B. Eads and family and Baron von Stube are distinguished arrivals at the Royal Victoria, Nassau.

Pass Christian, on the Gulf of Mexico, an hour's ride from Mobile, is becoming a popular and fashionable winter resort.

Hamilton, Bermuda, has not had a season equal the present in prosperity since the British flag was first unfurled there.

Jacksonville will soon be at its best in point of crowds at the hotels, but the best time will not be quite as good as usual.

ALL SORTS.

Columbia college is going to have a jubilee on its 100th year. It is estimated that there are 1,000,000 blind persons living to-day.

The United States mint at San Francisco is the largest in the world. At Vienna pipes for the conveyance of gas and water underground are made of paper.

The total number of burial permits issued in New York city during last year was \$7,300. The building occupied by the Young Women's Christian association in New York cost \$125,000.

George Washington was killed in New York city the other day. He was a laborer on the aqueduct.

The cigars smoked in this country annually, if put end to end, would reach around the earth ten times.

The oldest man in the Yale freshman class is 30 years and 3 months, and the youngest 15 years and 10 months.

More than 200,000 copies of "Helen's Babies" have been sold, and the popularity of the book still continues.

There is a bill now before the Nevada legislature disqualifying from holding office any one who is a victim of strong drink.

One hundred and twenty-five steamships regularly between the United States and Europe, employing more than 18,000 men.

Diphtheria is carrying off children by the score in Dutchess county, N. Y. The physicians seem to be unable to stop the progress of the disease.

The acknowledged duke of Chinatown, in San Francisco, is a young man named An Spud, who has amassed a fortune as potato peeler in a leading hotel.

March 4 fell on a Friday this year for the first time since Garfield was inaugurated president, but it will not fall on Friday again in the year when a regular presidential term begins until the year 1921.

It is reported that eastern capitalists have formed a corporation in Canada for the purpose of working ten farms, each containing 10,000 acres, in the Northwest territories along the border of the Canadian Pacific railway.

The emperor of China has decreed that henceforth there shall be no religious intolerance in his realm, and the decree has been published in all the provinces. A magnificent opportunity for unimpeded missionary work is thus opened to the Christian world.

A tramp who was stealing a ride through Indiana on a freight truck the other night was discovered by a brakeman and pursued. He jumped from the train just as it was crossing a canal bridge, landed in the water forty feet below, and then waded ashore unhurt.

Eighteen months ago William Chapman, of New London, was in a house when it was struck by lightning, and was severely shocked. Ever since he has been able to predict a coming thunder storm with great certainty from certain signs in the air, and in his head some hours before the storm.

The records of the treasury department show that eleven persons on its pay roll have died since January of this year, a greater number than for a like period of any previous year. It is claimed that several of these deaths resulted from the bad sanitary condition of the building.

Among the Montana Blackfoot Indians polygamy is still rife, though the redskins are beginning to abandon it. When buffalo were so numerous as to furnish meat more plentifully than when they were scarce, polygamy was in high favor among these Indians. Now, however, they find that more than one wife is a burden, and are not inclined to increase the number.

E. B. Davis, while putting up telephone wires in Detroit, seized a working wire and received a shock that knocked him from the pole to an adjoining roof. He was not harmed by the fall, but found that the wire had burned a groove across the palm of his hand clear to the bone. No drop of blood was drawn, and on the sides of the groove the flesh was seared. The hand gave him no pain, and he was at work next day.

OUT OF THE ORDINARY.

The death of a woman in Chicago the other day was attributed by a coroner's jury to excessive indulgence in confectionery.

On John McClenney's farm, near Catawba, O., a ewe has given birth to a well developed lamb having six legs. The lamb lived but a short time.

Says a Maine paper: One of our citizens, saving wood during the cold weather a few days since, was so absorbed in the occupation that he did not notice one of his fingers was frozen until it became nearly black. There frozen until strict attention to business, whatever that business may be. This reminds us that one of the coldest mornings of this season two citizens meeting on the street stopped, both speaking almost simultaneously, one saying: "Your nose is frozen," and the other: "Your cheek is frozen," which was the fact in both cases.

Lightning played a queer prank in Chicago the other day. It struck a house in which were six people, tore a ragged hole in the roof and demolished the ceiling and walls. Running down the chimney, it entered the kitchen range, which was completely destroyed. The lightning then ran out of the open door and entered the cellar through a thick stone wall, knocking the stones and mortar in all directions. It finally burst through a well. Strange to say, the occupants of the house received no injury beyond a general shaking up.

STAGE LIFE.

Lady Colin Campbell denies that she is to become a professional singer.

Kate Castleton has a new song called "Excuse me, I'll tell you no more."

Miss Mary Anderson will make her re-entrance on the English stage at Birmingham on April 11.

"The Old London Street," a bit of London transplanted to New York, is the latest amusement enterprise.

The annual report of the American Opera company places the assets of the company at \$350,000 and the liabilities at \$29,000.

Ada Rehan, the leading lady of Daly's theatre, New York, made her first appearance on the stage when she was only 13 years old.

RELIGIOUS NOTES.

In Princeton theological seminary there is a student 68 years old. Messrs. Moody and Sankey will attempt to evangelize Chicago, and to that end will erect a building in that city to cost \$50,000 for the training of Christian workers.

The Baptists of Red Willow, Neb., last week cut through two feet of ice and immersed a number of converts, the mercury at the time being 10 degrees below zero.

An item to the effect that Sam Jones made \$10,000 in Boston has been widely current in the exchanges. It shows how easily an absurd rumor may receive general credence.

According to The Baptist Handbook, there are in the British Isles 7,742 churches, 3,747 chapels, 1,127,374 chapel seats, 903,615 members, 47,170 Sunday school teachers, 456,694 scholars, 4,011 local preachers and 1,569 pastors in charge.

The Rev. Galbraith B. Perry, of Baltimore, who has been admonished by Bishop Faret for his extreme ritualism, is one of the few clergymen who the Episcopal church have devoted their lives toward evangelizing the colored race.

It was stated in the Congressional club at San Francisco that in that city, with a population of about 300,000, the attendance at the Protestant churches was about \$2,000, and at the Catholic churches about 18,000, making a total attendance of about 50,000. Probably three-fourths of the population never attend church.

The eighth and last volume of Professor Heinrich Ewald's Jewish history is now ready in an English form, and with this completion of the translation is finished a work that has already proved a mine of wealth to English exegetes, and fairly affixes to the description given of it in the present preface as "an encyclopaedia of biblical learning."

The Living Church says that there were few converts to Christianity in the last century. It does not keep a diary. Then it quotes from a diary of 1790: "We took record for dinner, and Rev. Dr. S. and I, who were held up a rib on his fork and said: 'Here, ladies, let mother Eve was made of.' 'Yes,' said sister Patty, 'it's from very much the same kind of matter.'"

The English society for the propagation of the gospel in foreign parts is arranging for the observance, on Aug. 12, 1887, of the 10th anniversary of the consecration, in Lambeth palace, of Dr. C. J. Lewis, who was not only the first bishop of Nova Scotia, but the first bishop of the Church of England in foreign parts. Of course, therefore, this is an event in which the American Episcopalians will feel much interest.

We are compelled to believe, by the stern array of facts and figures, that at the end of his boasted century of missions, while not 3,000,000 converts, nominal and real, have been won to Christianity in pagan lands, heathen and Mohammedan are 300,000,000 more than they were at the beginning of the century. Thus the votaries of these faiths increase 70 times faster than the followers of Christ. The church is outstripped in its own methods.—New York Observer.

Statistics collected in the Scotch Presbyterian church and the English Established church show that the average attendance at church is about one-third of the average church-going population. If this reckoning is trustworthy, we may multiply the evening congregations of London on the 24th of October by three, which will give as the total of the church and chapel-going population 1,489,950 out of the 3,516,712. This gives the number of customary absentees of people who, though they may occasionally attend a service, cannot be described as church-goers or chapel-goers, as 2,026,762. These figures show an immense and startling alienation of the London public from the regular organization of religious worship.—Church Review.

ART AND ARTISTS.

The annual exhibition of the Paint and Clay club is now open in Boston.

Munkley's "Calvary," which is the companion to his "Christ Before Pilate," is soon to be exhibited in London.

A review of the work of Eugene Delacroix and of his life long battle with the critics has been written by M. Fournier, of Paris.

The National Academy of Design will open its annual exhibition this year on the 4th of April. It will last until the 14th of May.

The Gobelin tapestry works, which have been in their present position in Paris for two centuries, are to be removed to the Chateau de Compiègne, where the last imperial family lived.

Augustus St. Gaudens has finished his statue of the Puritan, which is to be unveiled in Springfield in June next. It will be sent to the foundry next week to be cast in bronze.

The "hundred gilder" plate by Rembrandt has brought from time to time enormous sums at sales. There are but eight of them known to be in existence. One of these is in the collection of the Duke of Buccleuch, which will be sold in London this spring.

The central tower of the picturesque old church of St. Michael, Paris, is in such a dangerous condition that it is to be unravelled to rebuild it. A credit of 1,100,000 francs has been asked of the French government for the purpose.

The attendance upon the exhibition of the Stowart pictures during the week has been unprecedented in numbers. Room could not be found for all the art works belonging to the merchant prince. These pieces, chiefly of sculpture, have been left in the house on the fourth of street, where they will be shown by card.

It is said that George H. Boughton will visit America in the spring. In his early days, when living in Albany, he is said to have placed so modest a value upon his pictures that he sold them for almost nothing. Now he is probably the best paid of any living American painter. He works only on commission.

Notwithstanding a long residence in England, he is still fond of painting in his old time Dieckman Knickerbocker vein, and he remains in feeling one of the most patriotic of Americans. There is no painter resident in Europe who has the prospects of American art more sincerely at heart.

OLD FRIENDS.

A Cuban town prides itself upon having eleven women over 100 years of age.

The oldest person in the world, according to authentic record, is an old woman who lives in the village of Aubervie, France. She was born, according to the parish register, March 16, 1761, and is therefore almost 126 years old.

Capt. John Patten, of Bath, Me., is dead at the age of 97. He was a member of the first city council of that place, was captured and imprisoned by the English during the war of 1812, and died worth \$300,000, which he had made in the possession of ships.

William J. Haggart, of St. Louis, who will be 100 years old if he lives until December next, was on the staff of Gen. Jackson at the battle of New Orleans, was engineer of the first steamboat that arrived at St. Louis from the south and run the first locomotive that ever left St. Louis for the west.

SOME FOREIGN NOTES.

Nicaragua pays a bounty for the planting of India rubber trees.

The 12th of May is the date irrevocably fixed for the sale of the French crown jewels. They will be on view for a month before the auction, in the Pavillon de Flore.

Butcher shops are rapidly multiplying in Japan. The natives have a strong belief that the superiority of foreigners in physique and energy is due entirely to their meat diet, and hence they are adopting it.

The stalls of the famous "Marche du Temple" at Paris, where great sales of second hand clothing are made, are rented at an annual charge of \$400, and the receipts for each occupant are said to average between \$8,000 and \$10,000 a year.

Dr. Linshward, the African traveler, says that in Zululand he met the savage who killed the French Prince Imperial, and told him that if he had only taken the young man prisoner he might have got a large ransom; whereupon the Zulu wept with regret and grief.

The Prince of Wales has just granted a warrant for a new Masonic lodge, to be called "Anglo-American." The lodge is formed with a view of affording facilities for American residents in England meeting their brethren of the English grand lodge under the constitutions of the latter body.

Thirteen years ago a hospital was started in London on the plan of dispensing alcohol except where every other means failed. Since the beginning only four cases out of tens of thousands have been treated with alcohol, and the percentage of recoveries has been much larger than in any other hospital.

The quantity of sugar beets worked in Germany and France in 1885-86 was 10,514,000 tons, and thirteen years ago it was 10,249,000 tons. But in that period the German consumption of sugar beets more than doubled under the influence of the sugar tariff, while the French consumption was reduced more than half.

Epernay, in France, is a vast subterranean city of cellars. For miles and miles there are streets hewn out of the solid chalk, flanked with piles of bottles with champagne of all brands and qualities. The light is in this labyrinth of streets, crossings and turnings, except what the spluttering candles afford. All is dark, damp and damp, with the temperature away down about zero. The largest champagne manufacturers in Epernay have underground cellars which cover forty-five acres and contain 5,000,000 bottles of wine. There is a whole street in Epernay lined with fine chateaux, all owned by champagne men.

Alexander Napoleon Louis Joseph Berthier, Prince de Neuchâtel and Prince de Wagram, has just died in Paris. The four names were given to him by the Emperors Alexander and Napoleon and by Louis and Joseph Bonaparte, the kings of Holland and of Spain. He was the eldest son of Berthier, the most diplomatic of Napoleons marshals, and the Princess Elizabeth of Bavaria of the Palatine branch. The deceased prince was born on September 11, 1810. His father represented the emperor of the French at the marriage, by proxy, of the Archduchess Maria Louisa. The late prince was a gentleman farmer of a German type. He was passionately fond of agriculture and shooting.

Heinrich von Treitschke, who succeeded Wilhelm von Roon as last chancellor of Prussia, is the fifth man appointed to the post, and not one of them has been a native of Prussia. The first was Johannes von Moller, a Swiss, who had long lived at Vienna. He was appointed in 1849, but after a few years he was asked to resign. Barthold Georg Niebuhr succeeded him, a Dane, who began his career as a financier and left his record as a student of Roman literature and archaeology. Friedrich Wilken, a historian of the crusades, was the third, a Tecklenburger. Leopold von Ranke, the fourth, was a Thuringian, and his successor was also not born in Prussia.

LADIES' GOSSIP.

Beaded bonnets are all the go. Valenciennes is still queen of the world of lace.

For plain black dresses diagonal wool draped over a black skirt of black bengaline is a stylish combination.

Steel fringes and embroideries are a good deal worn in various shades of gray in different materials. Silk laces of every color and shape appear for trimming spring things.

Ladies who want suggestions regarding black silk dresses are advised to get ottoman and basket checked satin stripes for the skirts, with a basque of similar checks without stripes.

The heavy skirts of all new tailored gowns are arranged to fasten by large loops to loops placed inside the dress, so that the waist is thus making the shoulders help to carry the weight, and preventing at the same time the skirt from moving a hair's breadth from its appointed draping.

A very grand toilet was recently worn by Mrs. William Kingsland at a superb entertainment given in New York. It was of dark blue velvet over pale blue moire, the lower part of the moire skirt richly embroidered with gold. A long train of velvet falling from the waist at either side, was bordered with gold embroidery; the corsage of blue velvet was ornamented to match. The negligette was of pale blue ostrich tulle, and diamond ornaments.

An English girl was married the other day, and she went to the altar perfectly satisfied with herself and blessing her dressmaker. The gown was of silver gray tulle, cut on princess line a pelisse, lined throughout in cream silk. It fell loosely at the side, as an overdress, to display a front embroidered from neck to hem with fine steel beads and steel colored silk or cream silk. The cream silk sleeves were embroidered to match, and from the elbow all long pendant ones of white tulle, gentle light of the moon.

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A young man of Kansas City was playing a game the other evening and a large rat came into the room, seemingly well pleased with the music. It slowly approached the player until very near, and then after listening for some time it went away.

According to Professor Baird, a fish has no maturity, and there is nothing to prevent its living indefinitely and growing continually. A pike living in Russia dates back in age to the fifteenth century. In the Royal Aquarium at St. Petersburg are fish that have been there 140 years.

LIGHT AND AIRY.

A \$10,000 Boston Poem. Ten thousand dollars, Kelly dear, Has been sent on to bring you heret Excuse us if we call you "dear."

Oh, diamond gem, beyond compare, No jewel ever half so rare. Look out, dear Mike, we humbly beg, You must not, must not break a leg.

Monarch of players, kindly list, I have no chance to spin a wrist. Knowing you cost us mighty wealth, Expensive Mike, preserve your health.

His Sister Did Not Know Him. Maud—I'm surprised at you, Irene, for saying that Henry is awkward and bashful. Irene—I ought to know, I think. I'm his own sister. He hates to go out into society. He never knows what to do with his hands.

The Republican.

MARCH 19, 1887.

THE SOUTH.

The Prospects for a General Boom in our Section.

The Augusta Chronicle, one of the most conservative and progressive newspapers in the South, says:

While Southern cities outside the incomparable mineral region progress slowly and have no considerable "boom" as yet, we feel satisfied that they will ultimately benefit and development of the magic towns. Under such circumstances it is just as well to encourage and not depreciate the wonderful awakening in Alabama and Tennessee. Their prosperity will tend to a common good. They have attracted the attention of capital, because of coal, iron and lime in close proximity, with incidental advantages for manufacturing many articles hitherto monopolized by the East and West. As Southern men we should rejoice at this marvellous exploitation and, in all ways, help it. Long neglected fields of mineral wealth are simply being found out and utilized by capital. Southern men of means, instead of squandering their gains in stock gambling are placing them at home in the soil, in furnaces, in mining and hundreds of industries. Cities are growing like enchantment and outside money is attracted to this new region of enterprise.

At the North, there are millions of dollars of accumulated wealth, and, by pensions, thrift and commerce, more millions are constantly piling up. How to invest that hoard is a problem. There is worry enough over that, we know. The best securities of that region and those of the government are hard to get, except at an enormous bonus. The rate of interest on stocks and bonds is low. Mortgages are not always attractive. The West has had her day. It is the most natural and inevitable thing in the world that the South, an old new country, of prodigious and varied advantages, only needing the manipulation of Aladdin's lamp to become the seminary of great fortunes, should grow magnetic to Eastern and even Western men of abundant means and adventurous spirit.

Given then a glut of money in one section, seeking investment, and unspeakable advantages in another section, simply awaiting the touch of cash and enterprise to rise gigantically, what wonder that there is beginning to flow Southward a stream of Northern gold? It will continue to flow, not only toward the mineral region, but all other regions which have been held at a ridiculous low valuation. The South will merely gain, by fortunate circumstances, a true valuation of her property in all particulars. The boom is only an adjustment.

We congratulate the Alabama and Tennessee cities on their progress and trust that Georgia municipalities will soon be found in a similar position. As there is not a city in this State that would not welcome such a "boom" as that at Birmingham and Chattanooga, it would be unbecoming to abuse or sneer at what exists in these favored cities. Rather should we rejoice that one part of the South has had such a grand transformation and look for the best results in all parts of this section.

Gen. Bruce Blair, Milwaukie, Wis., March 3.—Gen. E. S. Bruce is confined to his home in Fond du Lac by blindness. His eyesight failed while he was out driving. Partial paralysis has completed the blindness in one eye. The general thinks the loss of his sight is not permanent.

The Coosa River Convention Well Attended.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 15.—The Coosa River convention is well attended, large delegations from Rome, Ga., and Mobile and immediate points being present. Gov. Seay is president.

Later.—The convention adjourned to-night after adopting resolutions urging the benefits of opening the river and appointing a committee to present the matter to congress. A strong effort was made by Col. Hodgson of Mobile to secure action looking to the incorporation of a private company to do the work.

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BEHIND THE BARS.

ISAAC H. VINCENT, ALABAMA'S DEFAULTING TREASURER.

Arrested, After Wandering for Four Years in a Strange Land as a Fugitive From Justice—Route Taken in His Flight—Frequent Visits to the U. S.—His Family Now in Mexico.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 15.—Isaac H. Vincent, Alabama's defaulting treasurer, who has been missing since 1883, having got away with over two hundred thousand dollars of the public money, was lodged in jail here yesterday. He was caught near El Paso, Texas. He left Montgomery on the night of January 29, 1883. A reward of five thousand dollars was offered for his capture. His securities and his own property paid about fifty thousand dollars of the default.

The capture of Vincent, the defaulting state treasurer, has caused a great sensation.

He was arrested Sunday morning at Big Sandy, Howard county, Tex. He agreed to come without force, and was brought along quietly without the slightest resistance or attempt to escape. No soul knew of his arrest until he arrived here, and Deputy Sheriff Ray, who arrested him, brought him the whole distance alone.

Being interviewed to night, Vincent says he went from here to Cincinnati, then to St. Louis, and then he went to Mexico. He has made frequent trips to Texas, and once last year visited New York. Although his shortage was over \$200,000 he took away with him only a few hundred. His wife and children are in Mexico. There are thirty-nine indictments against him.

CROSS PLAINS JOYRINGS.

We had a white frost last Monday morning but we hope the fruit is uninjured. Some of our neighbors had their Irish potatoes bitten down.

Rev. George D. Harris failed to meet his appointment here last Sunday greatly to the disappointment of his congregation and our church-going people generally, with whom he is a general favorite.

Capt. J. N. Hall, who has been in the army for some time, returned home last Monday without investing in real estate. He says Birmingham is a live town and promises to be a place of some size in the future.

Since court has adjourned, the deserted street corners are taken on their natural appearance and the professional is again on tap.

Rev. P. H. Brewster is managing the local department of the Post at present. Dr. O. D. Latta had other engagements which prevented him from continuing in charge. Mr. Brewster is in his natural element, so to speak, as he is an old newspaper man and the "man of the Post." We predict that the Post will sparkle and brighten, news paragraphs each week while he manages its local columns. Success to it.

The measles and whooping cough, having taken in the town, are now preparing to leave us.

There are several car loads of lumber being shipped from this point to Anniston. We have everything near us that is needed by a progressive town. In the near future we expect to utilize it all at home. Our people are waking up to the fact that we have more natural advantages than any town in the county and that it is our duty to let the outside world know something of it. Just what a little while and you will hear of Cross Plains among the booming towns. It is bound to be just that way and the day is not far distant.

The Car and His Experiences.

The reports concerning the alleged attempt to assassinate the czar are unsatisfactory. The Russian authorities pretend that nothing of the kind has occurred, but the story appears to have some foundation.

The present czar is not personally unpopular. He has been viciously slandered and misrepresented the river and appointing a committee to present the matter to congress. A strong effort was made by Col. Hodgson of Mobile to secure action looking to the incorporation of a private company to do the work.

He is amiable and intelligent, and has a sincere desire to improve the welfare of his people. That he is not an object of hatred is made

evident by his conduct. He rides about in the streets with a contentment than our presidents display. He goes comparatively unescorted. He is always with his wife. At the theater, at the races in every public place he may be seen talking to his wife, who is the most popular woman in Russia.

The conspirators who desire to assassinate such a ruler would plot against anyone placed for the time being at the head of the government. They are waging war upon the czar and not the man. If the assassins should succeed in carrying out their designs, it would be one of the greatest calamities that could befall Russia. That wonderful country is not yet prepared for government by the people. Still less is she prepared for anarchy.

Max Leventhal, a Polish Jew, lived in a New York tenement house with his second wife. There were two sets of children in the house. The step mother and the step children did not get on well together and they were frequently beaten on account of complaints made to the husband. Sunday a grown son of old man Leventhal protested against unjust abuse of one of his sisters. The father started toward the son who quickly drew a revolver and fired, striking the old man in the neck. The blood spurted in a great dark stream and the old man staggered out from the room. Then the rash boy realized what he had done, and placing the barrel of the pistol to his own head fired. The old man staggered into the room again and the son went to meet him. They embraced each other tenderly, and the son said: "Now dear father, you see we must both die and all because of your wife." Then they kissed each other. The old man sank upon the floor. The son took aim again at his own head, fired and fell dead. After a few feeble struggles in a pool of his own blood, gasped and died. The murdered father and suicide son lay dead a few feet apart.

Children who are troubled with worms are pale in the face, bluish around their eyes, pick the nose, have variable appetites, are fretful by night, have bad dreams, are restless at night. Dr. J. H. McLean's Liquid Candy Vermifuge will kill and expel these troublesome parasites. 25 cents a bottle. April 23-3m

In Chancery.

Dave Bush vs. Jane Bush.

In Chancery of Jacksonville, Ala. In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by affidavit of John M. Caldwell, one of complainant's solicitors that the defendant James Bush, a son resident of this State and that her place of residence when last heard from was Meridian, Miss., and further that said defendant is over twenty years of age.

It is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Jacksonville Republican a newspaper published in the town of Jacksonville, Ala., for four consecutive weeks containing the said James Bush to appear and plead answer or demurrer to the bill of complaint in this cause by Sunday the 15th day of April 1887, or in thirty days thereafter, a decree or decrees may be taken against her said Jane Bush, defendant as aforesaid.

Done at office, this 10th day of March, 1887.

WM. M. HAMES, Register.

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NOTICE

Of Result of Prohibition Election.

Notice is hereby given, that at an election held in and for Calhoun county, Alabama, on Thursday the 17th day of February 1887, under the Prohibition Act for said county, which was passed by the General Assembly of Alabama, and approved December 7th 1886. The said election resulted as follows: Prohibition received 1422 votes, and Non-Prohibition received 1009 votes, and Non-Prohibition therefore had a majority of 413 votes, as shown by the certificate of the Board of Supervisors of said county and of Record in my office.

EMMETT F. CROOK, Judge of Probate.

ANNUAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE OF ALABAMA, Calhoun County.

In Probate Court for said county, Special Term Jan. 15th 1887.

This day came Edward Crook (decd.) Guardian of James Crook (decd.) and Jacob Crook (decd.) minors, and filed in court his account and vouchers for an annual settlement of his said Guardianship.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that the 10th day of February 1887 be and is hereby appointed the day upon which to audit and settle upon said account and vouchers said settlement; and that notice thereof be given to said James Crook and Jacob Crook, the said three successive weeks in the Jacksonville Republican, a newspaper printed and published in said county, as a notice to all persons concerned, to be and appear before me at office in the Court House of said county, on said 10th day of February 1887, and contest said settlement if they think proper.

E. F. CROOK, Judge of Probate.

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Trust Sale.

Under and by virtue of a Deed of Trust executed by Alfred Forney and wife on the 21st day of January 1887, to me as Trustee, to secure Howard, Dean & Co., in the payment of a certain note in said Trust of record, dated January 24th 1882, in the Probate Judge's office of Calhoun county, Alabama, in Book "N" of Deeds on pages 419 to 421, and being required in writing to foreclose the said deed of trust as such Trustee, I will at the highest bidder for cash, before the Court House door in Jacksonville, Alabama, on Monday the 21st day of March 1887, within the legal hours of sale, the following Real Estate viz: The N 1/2 of the NE 1/4, also lot in the new plan of the town of Jacksonville, first described land being in town 14 and range 8 in Calhoun Land District to satisfy said note and feb 1930

I. L. SWAN Trustee.

Trust Sale.

Under and by virtue of a Deed of Trust executed by James Shaw on the 30th day of April 1886, to me as Trustee to secure Howard, Dean & Co., in the payment of a certain note in said Deed of Trust of record, and which Deed of Trust was filed in the Probate Judge's office of Calhoun county, Alabama, for Record on April 30th 1886 and Recorded in Book "P" of Deeds on page 162. And being required in writing to foreclose the said deed of trust, as provided therein, I will at the highest bidder for cash before the Court House door in Jacksonville Ala., on Monday the 21st day of March 1887, within the legal hours of sale, the following Real Estate, to-wit: Fractions one, eight and nine of section thirty-four township 12 range 8 containing one hundred and twenty acres more or less, to satisfy said note and deed of trust.

I. L. SWAN, Trustee.

NOTICE NO. 5982.

LAND OFFICE, MONTGOMERY, ALA.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, to-wit: James H. McLean, claimant of said land, viz: Henry W. Canada, James Canada, Enoch J. Haynie, Samuel Charles, all of Berne, Ala.

J. G. HARRIS, Register.

NOTICE NO. 6224.

Land office at Montgomery, Ala.

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We have been asked to publish the new road law for Calhoun, or give a synopsis of its provisions. We are unable to do so, not having seen the bill and the act not having been published in "The Advertiser" among the public acts. The probate judge, we learn, has sent for a copy of it and when that is received we will lay it before our readers. From the popular understanding of the bill, there is great dissatisfaction expressed at the change of law. A publication of the law may show it to be different from what is popularly understood to be its features. If that publication shows that the election of a road boss at a salary is made obligatory on the Commissioner's Court and that their just share of the burden of working the roads is lifted from the corporations, the professional men, the manufactories, the railroads and the towns and the burden laid wholly upon the shoulders of the agricultural and laboring classes outside the towns, the law will prove to be the most unpopular law ever passed by any legislature for Calhoun county, and justly so. While the law known as the White-side law had its imperfections, which might have been remedied by amendment at the last term of the legislature, there was a principle underlying it that was a just one, and that was that property should bear its proportionate share of the great burthen of keeping up the hundreds upon hundreds of miles of public road in this county. To do this properly costs money, costs time, costs sweat and toil and sacrifice of interest for the time being, and no reason under heaven can be given why this burthen should be laid wholly upon the shoulders of labor. In pioneer times and pioneer countries community road working is the best and only plan. In a country like this and an age like this, when we had got beyond the pioneer age in our road system, there is no good reason for returning to it. It was a mistake to do so.

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